[Mr. N. Narayana Kurup.]

(*a*) whether any ferry boat service is provided by the P. W. D or the Municipality at the eastern end of the Wadai Canal to enable people to cross over to the houses on the eastern side of the Wadai Canal, eastern toll-gate; and

(*b*) whether the houses situated on the eastern side of the Wadai Canal eastern toll-gate, are also assessed for house-tax and profession tax ?

MR. C. O. MADHAVAN (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Government have no information.

Proposal to connect Kottar-Dharmapuram road with Rajakkamangalam-Beach road.

282* **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Tovala* cum *Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether there was a proposal to connect Kottar-Dharmapuram road with Rajakamangalam-Beach road.

(*b*) whether there was a budget allotment for it even as early as 1107 :

(*c*) whether they have received several representations about this road, during the years 1109, 1111, 1112 and 1113 ;

(*d*) whether the Executive Engineer, Nagercoil recommended for a budget allotment for this in the last year's budget ;

(*e*) the steps taken for it till now; and

(*f*) if the answer to part (*e*) is in the negative, the reasons thereor ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation*) :

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) An estimate has been sanctioned and the land acquisition moved.

(*f*) This does not arise, in view of answer to part (*e*).

Resolutions passed at a meeting of the acting V. S. L. C. teachers.

283 ***MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they or the Director of Public Instruction have received the copy of the resolutions passed at a meeting of the Acting V. S. L. C. teachers of Central Travancore held on the 4th Edavom 1113 in the S. V. T. Institute Hall and forwarded by Mr. Kalloor Narayana Pillai M. L. C., the President of the meeting; and

(*b*) the action taken by the Government or the department on the matter ?

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MR. A. GOPALA MENON (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) This does not arise in view of answer to part (*a*).

Representation re: *acting Vernacular School teachers.*

284 *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether written representation signed by the acting V. S L. C. teachers of Central Travancore, now unemployed, was submitted by any member of the Legislature on the 25th of Meenom 1113; and

(*b*) the action taken on the same?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON. (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The matter is engaging the attention of Government.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from Government whether in view of the injustice done to some of the V. S. L. C. teachers, a list has been maintained by the Education Department for 1104?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: A list of such hard cases has been prepared.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAH PILLAI: May I know from Government whether the representation referred to in answer (*a*), relates to some of such teachers who are included in the waiting list?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: When the lists are complete. it will be possible to find out.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: Sir, my question is whether the signatories to the representation referred to in answer to Part (*a*) are also included in the list prepared in 1104.

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: It has not been verified.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know whether there is a direction from Government that only such persons who are included in the list should be appointed in the Vernacular section of the department?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: The waiting list has been followed as a rule.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from Government whether more thrn 1,400 persons are in the list to be confirmed?

MR. A. GOPLAA MENON: The question of their confirmation is under consideration.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from Government why these persons namely the signatories to the representation are not given any appointment?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: The wholo question will be taken when their confirmation is considered. The list is being prepared.

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